

INITIAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

Committee Minutes	Initial Education Committee
Date	September 18 th , 2018
Time	1:00 pm CDST
Location	Iris Room 665 Mainstream Drive
Participants	<p>Members Present: Chairman Tim Strange; John Reeves (Walters State); David Blevins (Roane State); Jeff Roberts (Chattanooga State); Drew Hooker (Motlow State); Erik Jesse (Volunteer State); Bryan Kesler (Jackson State); Jim Logan (Dyersburg State); Merry Mattix (Southwest State); Rodger McGee (Memphis Fire Dept.); Danny Sheckles (Oneida Voc Tech) - late; Fred Smith (Nashville Fire Dept.); Joseph Chaston (Cookeville Regional Med. Ctr); Mark Walker (Med Center EMS); Randall Kirby (EMS Consultant at Large); Brian Tompkins (EMS Region 3 Consultant); Ray Cook Assistant State EMS Director</p> <p>Members Absent: David Bryant (Northeast State); DeVette Carter (Cleveland State); David Cauthen (Columbia State); John Dodson (Knoxville Fire Dept.); Williams Andrews (Chattanooga Fire Dept.); Chris Massingale (Livingston Vo-Tech); Randy White (MTSU); Mike Carlton (St. Thomas Hospital); Levo Phillips (Vanderbilt University Med Ctr.); Jonathan Wood (Continuing Ed Committee Liaison); Donna Tidwell State EMS Director; Paul Richardson Legal Counsel</p>

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Chairman Strange	Roll Call/Introduction	Roll Call (results are listed above) a quorum was deemed present.	n/a	n/a	n/a
Chairman Strange	Minute Approval	Motion by Mr. Blevins and seconded by Mr. Hooker to accept the June 19 th , 2018 with spelling corrections. Motion carried on voice vote.	none	n/a	n/a
Joseph Chaston	Report from Continuing Education Committee	Mr. Chaston gave a report of the proceedings and actions of the Continuing Education Committee meeting earlier in the day. No further action taken. At this point, Danny Sheckles arrived at the meeting.	none	n/a	n/a

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Drew Hooker	Report of the Initial Education Sub-Committee on EMT to Paramedic	<p>Mr. Hooker gave a report on the work product adopted in the Sub-Committee's meeting that occurred earlier in the day.</p> <p>Motion by Mr. Jesse to adopt the work product as presented and for it to move forward to the EMS Board for approval. Motion was seconded by Mr. Roberts. Post motion discussion was held on the document.</p> <p>Motion to amend the motion to include the statement: "VII. The EMT to Paramedic pathway does not eliminate the opportunity to offer a single semester AEMT program. It simply creates another pathway." was received from Mr. Jesse and seconded by Mr. Roberts. Discussion lead to this statement being added as a friendly amendment. Question was called for by (?). A voice vote was taken and the amendment was approved.</p> <p>A poll vote was taken on the amended motion and the motion passed with only two votes of opposition.</p>	Present to EMS Board	Drew Hooker	09/19/2018
Chairman Strange	Old Business and New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Military Bridge was on the agenda but since Director Tidwell was not there it was the consensus to reassign tasks and wait until the next meeting as so the exact status of the project can be presented. 	none	n/a	n/a

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A motion was received from Mr. Jesse and seconded by Mr. Roberts to the Division adopt the NREMT and COAMPS (?) standards to judge pass rates. () called for question after a short discussion. A discussion was engaged concerning these standards. Motion passed by a polled vote with only one vote in opposition. 			
Chairman Strange	Status of Recently Passed Rules	Chairman Strange gave a brief report of the Rules from the last EMS Board meeting and their status.	none	n/a	n/a
Chairman Strange	Adjournment	Multiple motions and seconds were received to adjourn. Motion passed on voice vote.	none	n/a	n/a
n/a	Next Meeting	The next scheduled meeting is December 11 th , 2019 at 1:00 CST.	n/a	n/a	n/a